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VACANT POSTS IN ONGC
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Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Oil and Natural Gas Corporation (ONGC) is facing problem due to shortage of officers;

(b) if so, the details thereof, Grade-wise;

(c) whether there is any proposal to fill the backlog of vacant posts;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) the time by which the vacant posts are likely to be filled up?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM & NATURL GAS (SHRI DINSHA PATEL)

(a) No Sir.Presently, ONGC has a workforce of about 23,700 officers which is geared up to meet the operational requirements.The company has a well-defined system in place to assess gaps arising as a result of superannuation & other factors of work force, turnover, expanding activities etc and address them by way of redeployment of skills and induction of fresh manpower, on need basis.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) There is no backlog of vacancy at present in ONGC.

(d) and (e) Does not arise in view of (c) above.